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TO AMEMBASSY WARSAW

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SUBJ: POZNAN INTERNATIONAL STAMP EXHIBIT

1. THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE WILL BE REPRESENTED AT THE POZNAN WORLD PHILATELIC EXHIBITION BY WALTER ZACHARIASIEWICZ, COORDINATOR OF TECHNICAL COOPERATION, OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL POSTAL AFFAIRS. HE IS PLANNING TO LEAVE U.S. AUGUST 12TH. ETA WARSAW WILL BE SENT WHEN CONFIRMED. WILL STOP IN WARSAW ONE OR TWO DAYS AND THEN PROCEED TO POZNAN TO MEET WITH CONSULATE OFFICIALS ON SETTING UP EXHIBITS. HE WILL HAND CARRY APOLLO 15 ARTIFACTS AND OTHER PHILATELIC VALUABLES. U.S. POSTAL SERVICE WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SECURITY OF MILLION DOLLARS WORTH APOLLO EXHIBIT EN ROUTE TO POLAND AND WOULD APPRECIATE IF EMBASSY POZNAN CONSULATE WOULD PROVIDE SECURITY FOR ITS SAFETY IN POLAND. THIS WOULD ALSO REQUIRE CONSTANT GUARD PROTECTION AT EXHIBITION HALL.

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USPS WILL REIMBURSE COSTS INCURRED.

2. USPS WILL PREPARE POLISH RELEASE FOR LOCAL USE WHICH WILL BE COORDINATED WITH EMBASSY PRESS SECTION. POZNAN CONSULATE SHOULD MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO SECURE A PROMINENT LOCATION IN THE HALL FOR APOLLO EXHIBIT TO ASSURE MAXIMUM EXPOSURE. OTHER EXHIBIT MATERIAL WILL BE SENT AIR FREIGHT. SEPARATE MESSAGE WITH SHIPPING DETAILS FOLLOWS.

3. CABLE NAMES AND TITLES OF POLISH OFFICIALS FOR WHOM SPECIAL SOUVENIR ALBUMS SHOULD BE PREPARED. USPS WILL DISTRIBUTE TO EXHIBIT VIEWERS SPECIAL SOUVENIR CARDS OF REPRODUCED COPERNICUS STAMPS WITH APPROPRIATE POLISH TEXT. SAME CARDS ARE SOLD IN U.S. FOR \$1.00 EACH. USPS WILL APPRECIATE HOTEL RESERVATIONS IN WARSAW AND POZNAN FOR

ZACHARIASIEWICZ. HOTEL MERCURY IN POZNAN PREFERRED BECAUSE PROXIMITY TO EXHIBITION AND CONSULATE. INFORM MR. WITKOWSKI THAT ZACHARIASIEWICZ WILL REPRESENT USPS. DETAILED LETTERS TO EMBASSY AND MR. WITKOWSKI FOLLOW.

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